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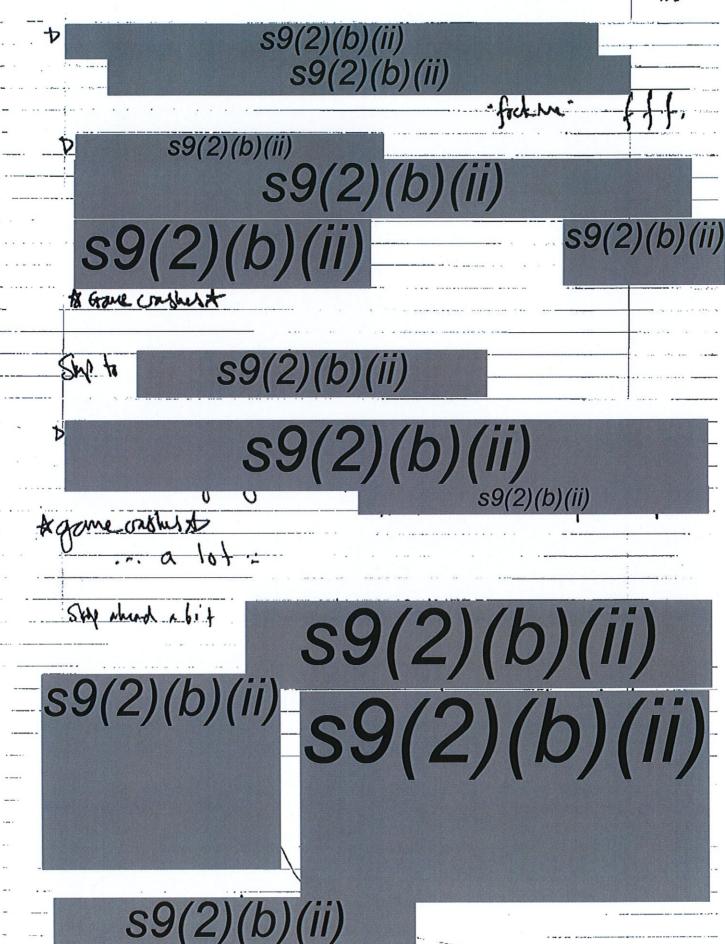
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CONSIDERATION SHEET

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Submission channel:

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Medium:

Console Game

Distributor:

Total Interactive

Country of origin:

United States

Language:

English

Applicant:

Film & Video Labelling Body

Examination transcript No:

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Examination date:

17 September 2020

Other identifying

information:

COMPONENTS OF FILM

Components of film originally examined:

	Components	Running time
Game:	Call of Duty Black Ops Cold War	
Total running time:		

Components of film excised:

CONSIDERATION OF THE PUBLICATION UNDER THE FILMS, VIDEOS, AND PUBLICATIONS CLASSIFICATION ACT 1994 (FVPC ACT)

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Description

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Section 3	3(1): the Subject Matter Gateway			
Does the p	ublication describe, depict, express, or otherwise deal with matters such as:			
_	Sex ¹			
✓	Horror			
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	Crime			
√	Cruelty			

¹ Note that a publication can be found to deal with a matter such as sex if (a) the publication is or contains 1 or more visual images of 1 or more children or young persons who are nude or partially nude; and (b) those 1 or more visual

Section .	Section 3(1): the Subject Matter Gateway		
Considered with violence under s3(3)(a)(i) below.			
✓	Violence		
Violence and related cruelty are considered under s3(3)(a)(i) below.			
_	None of the above, <u>proceed to s 3A and s 3B</u>		

Section 3(2): Certain publications are "deemed to be objectionable"			
	ontent of the publication raise any of these issues? If it does, discuss, and conclude e publication promotes or supports, or tends to promote or support, that matter.		
-	s 3(2)(a) The exploitation of children or young persons for sexual purposes		
-	s 3(2)(b) The use of violence or coercion to compel a person to participate in, or submit to, sexual conduct		
_	s 3(2)(c) Sexual conduct with or upon the body of a dead person		
. –	s 3(2)(d) The use of urine or excrement in association with degrading or dehumanising conduct or sexual conduct		
_	s 3(2)(e) Bestiality		
_	s 3(2)(f) Acts of torture or the infliction of extreme violence or extreme cruelty		
✓	None of the above		

Section 3(2): Certain publications are "deemed to be objectionable" If the publication promotes or supports (or tends to) any of these matters, could excisions be used to remove the problematic content? Yes. Consider the rest of the publication under s 3(3) and s 3(4) and discuss the required excisions in the conclusion. No. The publication is deemed to be objectionable. Proceed to Conclusion

Section 3(3): Matters to be given particular weight

If any of the following criteria apply, discuss in terms of the extent and degree to which, and the manner in which, the publication:

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s 3(3)(a)(i) Deals with the infliction of torture, serious physical harm, significant cruelty

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	s 3(3)(a)(iii) Deals with other sexual or physical conduct of a degrading or dehumanising or demeaning nature		
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_	s 3(3)(a)(v) Deals with physical conduct in which sexual satisfaction is derived from inflicting or suffering cruelty or pain		
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	s 3(3)(d) Promotes or encourages criminal acts or acts of terrorism		
·	s 3(3)(e) Represents that members of any particular class of the public are inherently inferior to other members of the public by reason of an characteristic that is a prohibited ground of discrimination specified in s 21(1) of the Human Rights Act 1993		
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_	The publication doesn't deal with any s 3(3) criteria		

Section	3A:		
	publication contain highly offensive language to such an extent or Yes t it is likely to seriously harm viewers under a certain age?		
The game variants, as manner. W	including any necessary consideration of offensive language that is not 'highly offensive' or offensive language which is not likely to cause serious harm to young viewers): contains a moderate amount of highly offensive language. The expletive "fuck" and its re primarily used for emphasis in tense situations, and to a lesser extent in an aggressive with repeated exposure to such language, there is an increased risk of emulation by adiences, who may suffer social harms such as alienation or intimidation if imitated.		

Section 3	3B:		
Does the p	publication contain any of the following material?		
_	Harm to a person's body, including self-inflicted death, self-mutilation or harmful body modification (other than any already discussed under s 3(3) criteria).		
_	Conduct that, if imitated, would pose a risk of serious harm to self or others (other than any already discussed under s 3(3) criteria).		
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_	Visual images of a person's body that alone or with any other contents of the publication are of a degrading, dehumanising or demeaning nature (other than any already discussed under s 3(3) criteria).		
✓	None of the above		

Section 3B:

Does the extent and degree of the material make the publication likely to cause any of the following harms to young people under a specified age because of their general levels of emotional and intellectual development and maturity?

- Cause them to be greatly disturbed or shocked
- Increase significantly the risk of them killing, or causing serious harm to, themselves, others, or both
- Encourage them to treat or regard themselves, others, or both, as degraded, dehumanised or demeaned.

Discuss likely harm/s or why the content is unlikely to cause these harms:

Submissions & consultations (if applicable) — Consultation or enquiries required under s 21 — Submissions received from interested parties under s 20

Any other information to be taken into account (if relevant) (e.g. previous OFLC decisions, decisions of other classification bodies, research, books, articles, reviews, etc.)				
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Co	onclusion
	In addition to all of the above matters, consider relevant s 3(4) matters: the dominant effect of the publication, character of the publication (including any merit, value or importance), impact of the medium, intended or likely audience, intended purpose, and any other relevant circumstances relating to its use Identify any likely injury to the public good from the unrestricted availability of the publication Determine the classification, taking into account the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990 (NZBORA) and the need to impose the least restrictive limitation on the right to freedom of expression that will prevent injury to the public good
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Display conditions (restricted publications only)

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Total Interactive

FVLB Applicant:

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No excisions recommended

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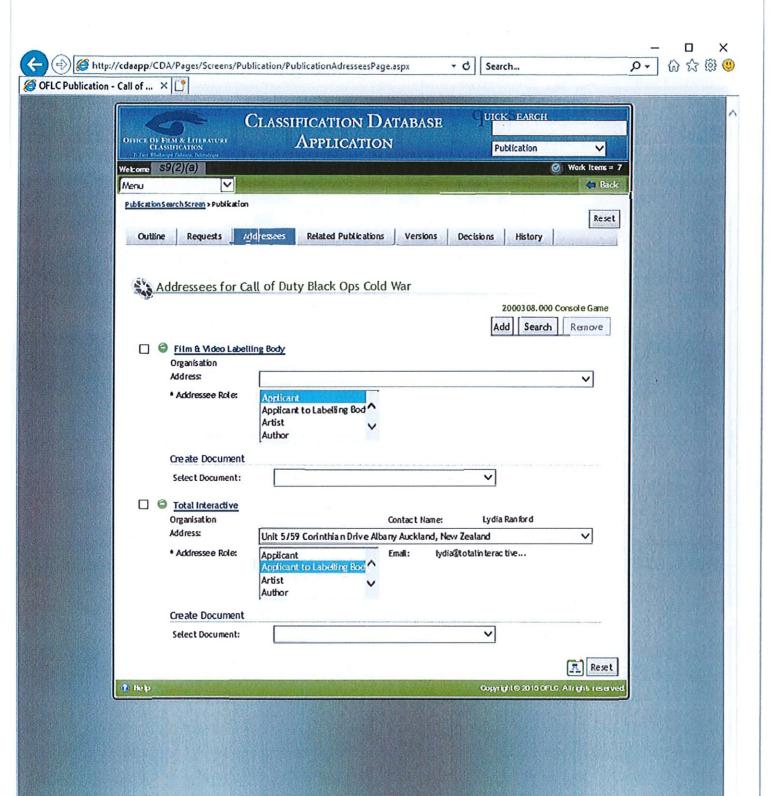
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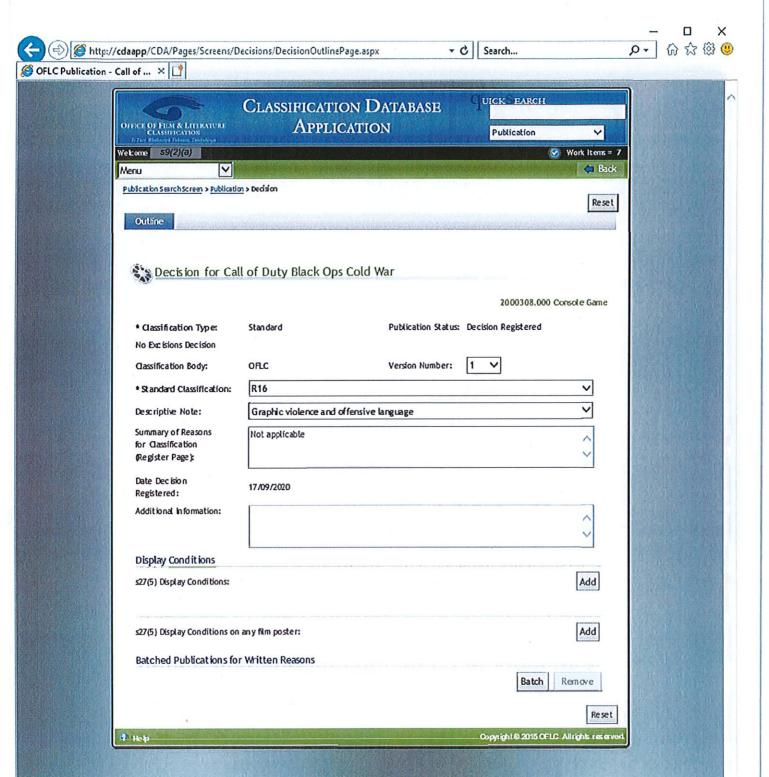
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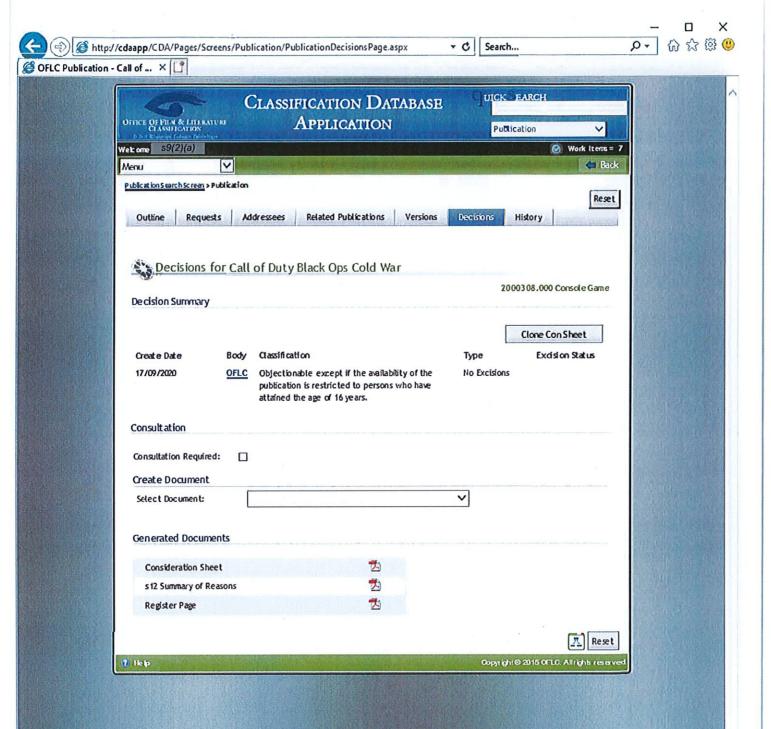
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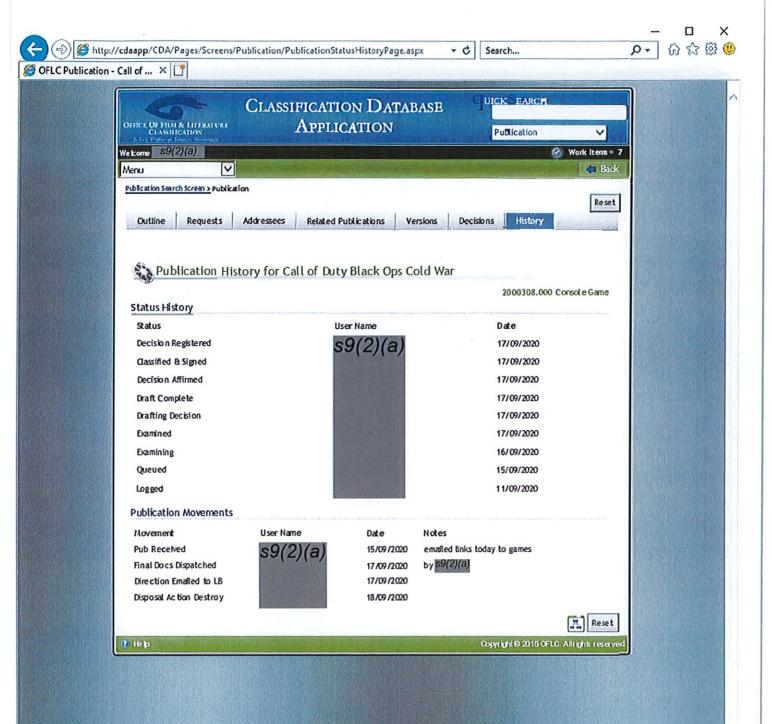
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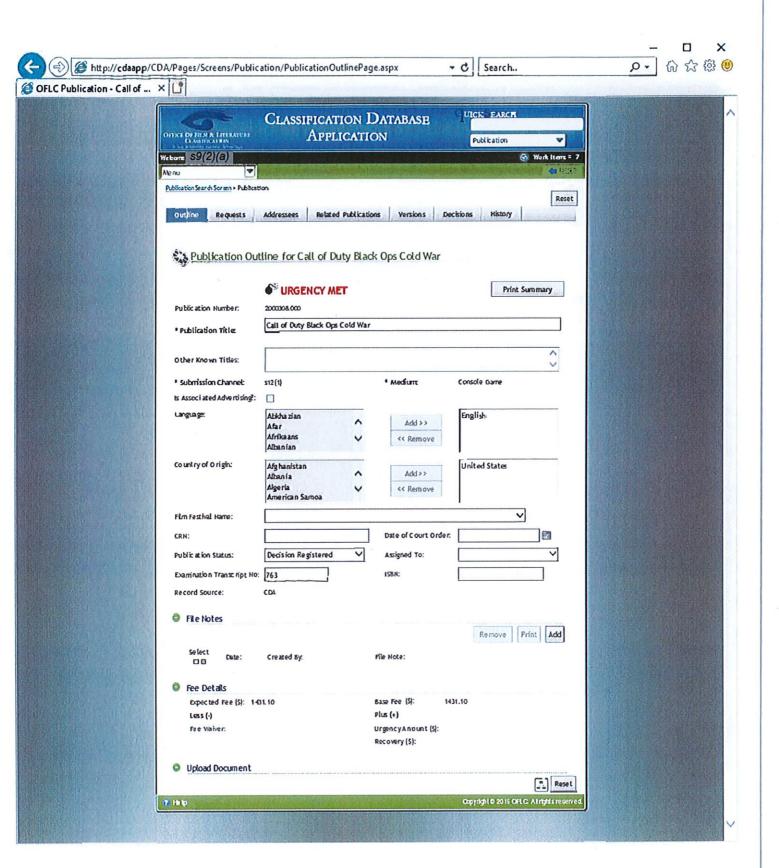
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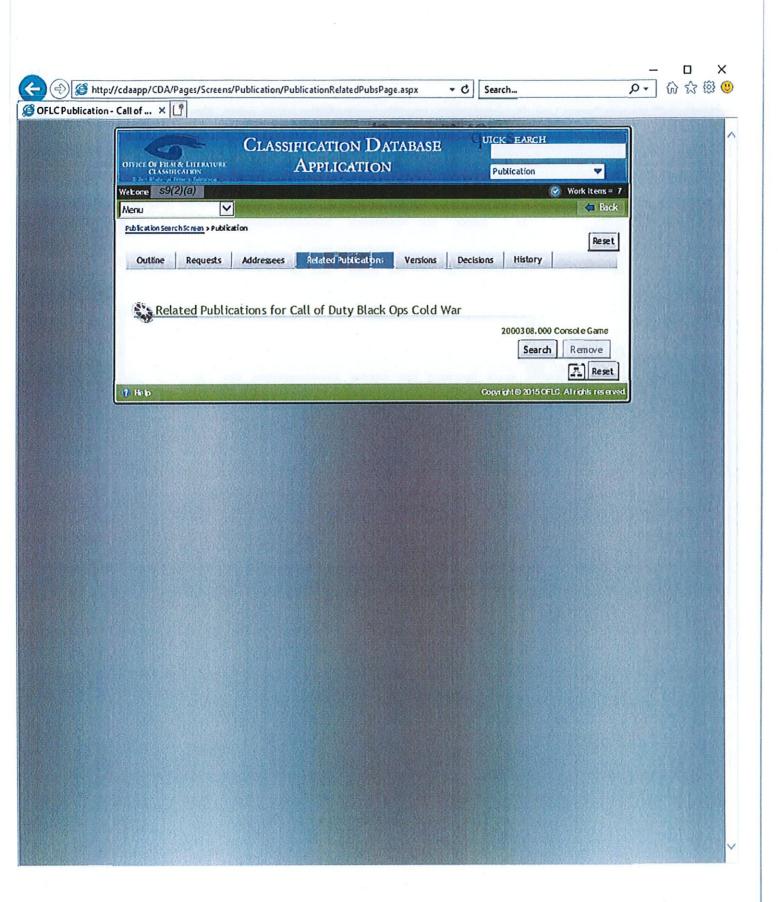


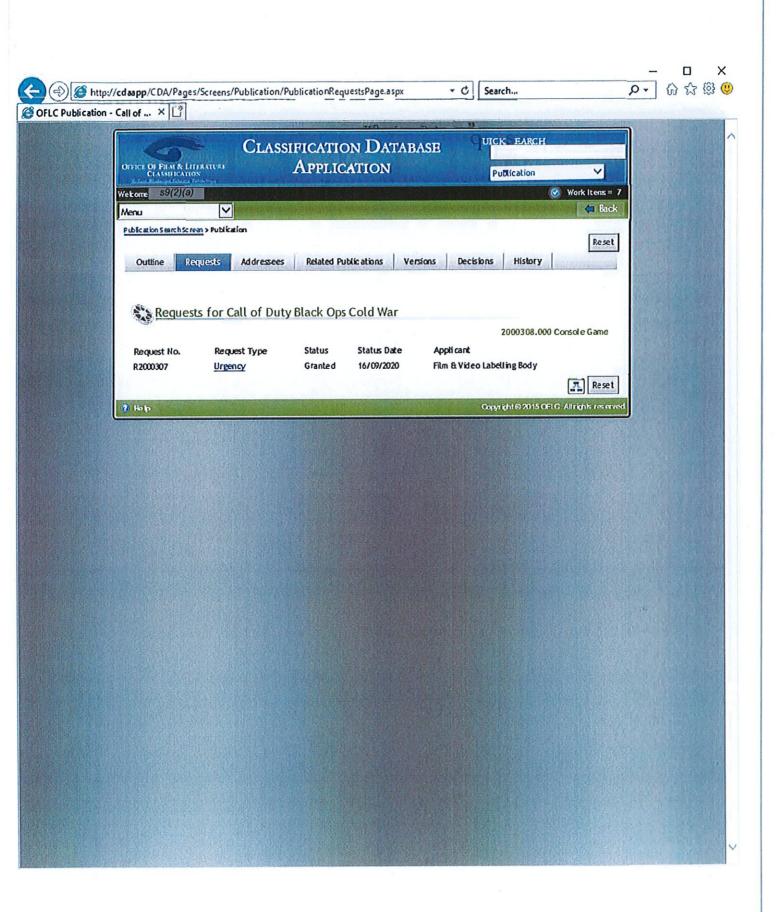


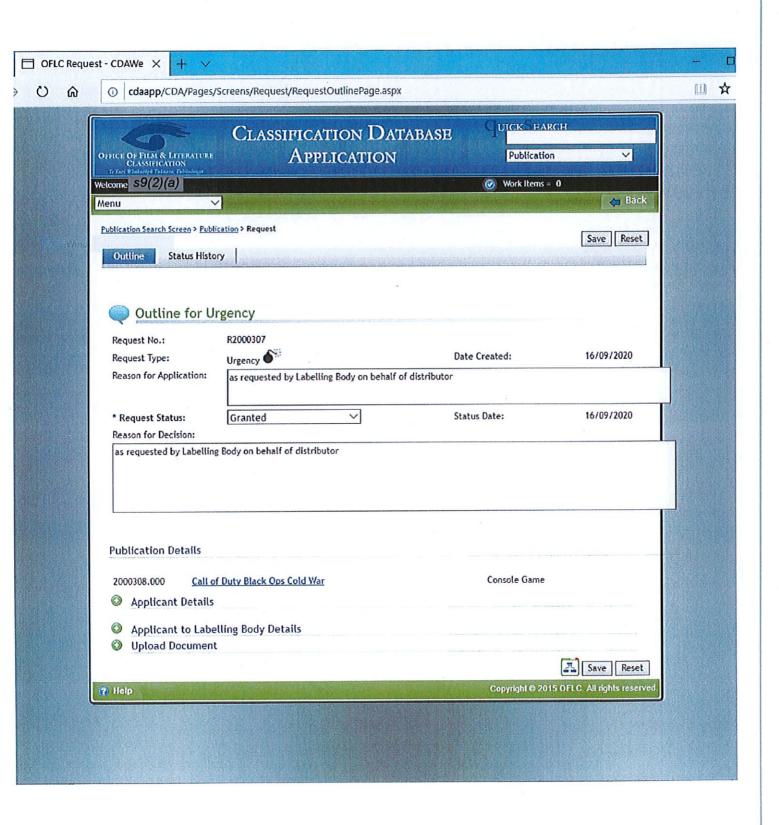


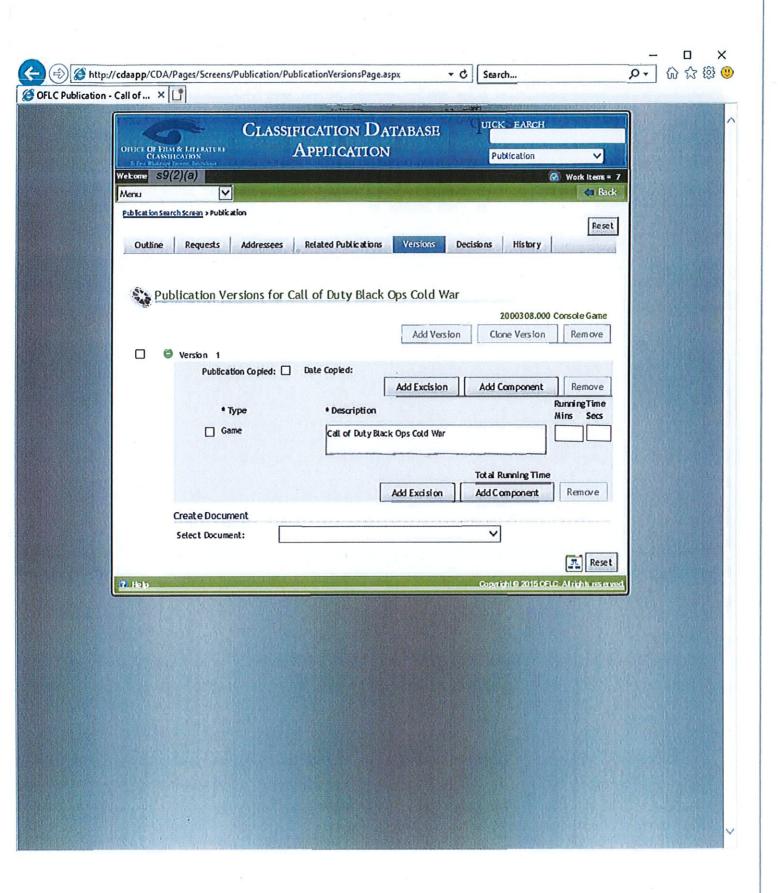












From:

Nicola Denney <nicola@fvlb.org.nz>

Sent:

Wednesday, 16 September 2020 6:03 PM

To:

Games

Subject:

Automatic reply: Call of Duty Cold War

Hi

I am on annual leave until Monday 21st September. I will respond to your email on my return.

From:

s9(2)(a)

Sent:

Wednesday, 16 September 2020 1:34 PM

To:

s9(2)(a)

Subject:

Call of Duty urgency - approved now

Yep she forgot all good now s9(2)(a)

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RE: Call of Duty Black Ops Cold War

Sent: 17 September 2020 16:57

From: Sharon

To: s9(2)(a)

Thanks \$9(2)(a)

----Original Message

From: \$9(2)(a) @classificationoffice.govt.nz>

Sent: Thursday, 17 September 2020 4:28 PM To: Nicola Denney <nicola@fvlb.org.nz> Subject: Call of Duty Black Ops Cold War

Hi Nicola

Please find attached a copy of the Classification Decision for the game Call of Duty Black Ops Cold War . The Classification Office directs the Film & Video Labelling Body under s 36 of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Act 1993 to issue a label for this publication.

Regards

s9(2)(a)

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From:

Nicola Denney <nicola@fvlb.org.nz>

Sent:

Monday, 14 September 2020 4:51 PM

To:

Submissions; Games

Subject:

FW: Introduction

Attachments:

PS4 USB Installation Tutorial.docx; Boot Parameters.jpg; Release.jpg; Black Ops 4

logo.jpg

Hi

Total Interactive asked me to forward this email through to you as they received a bounceback message.

Kind Regards Nicola

Nicola Denney

Assistant General Manager



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From: Mark Hughes

Sent: Monday, 14 September 2020 4:22 PM

To: Nicola Denney; Games@classificationoffice.govt.nz

Cc: Mark Goodacre Subject: RE: Introduction

Hello Nicola & OFLC,

I am currently in the process of sending you 3 files for the Call of Duty Cold War game. These will come through from the IBM Aspera software. Please note the file is large, 134 GB & my system is telling me it will finish uploading around 5PM.

You will need a suitable USB stick.

File "PS4UPDATE-testkit-GEN3-7_550_001.PUP" is the software version you will need to load to your PS4 Debug test kit.

Instructions for manually updating the PS4 System Software using Safe Mode are:

- 1. Using a PC or Mac, create a folder on the FAT32 USB named "PS4". Inside that folder, create another folder named "UPDATE".
- 2. Download the update file and save it in the "UPDATE" folder. Save the file with the file name "PS4UPDATE.PUP".
- 3. Ensure that the "PS4" folder is at the root of the USB storage device, and not contained in another folder: USB (D:) > PS4 > UPDATE.

- 4. Connect a PS4 controller (using a USB cable) and the USB drive to the PS4 system.
- 5. Start the PS4 system in Safe Mode: press and hold the power button, releasing after the second beep.
- 6. Select Safe Mode option 3 "Update System Software".
- 7. Select [Update from USB Storage Device] > [OK].
- 8. If your PS4 system does not recognise the update file, check that the folder names and file name are correct.

Please go into the Debug menu, go to "Boot Parameters" You need to take it off "Release Mode" & change to "Assist Mode". See photo attached.

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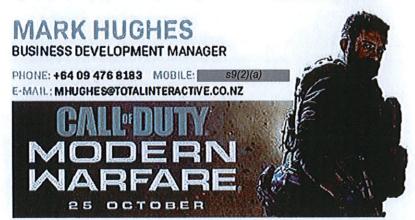
You will need to format a large capacity USB into exFat and the word document attached shows you how to install them on your PS4 debug

Once downloaded you need to click on the Black Ops 4 logo, not the call of duty Alpha logo. See photo. Once you do this the next page will look like photo "Release" select the 2nd option down "Release :cod Release.elf"

Make your way through to the campaign menu.

If you receive an error message you may have to create a new user by following this method, log out of your current user & then click log in as a new user. Click "create a user" you need to click "*Quick Sign Up". It will assign you a user name automatically.

If you have any problems please give me a call \$9(2)(a) Mark



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From:

Games

Sent:

Wednesday, 16 September 2020 6:02 PM

To:

'Mark Goodacre'

Subject:

RE: Call of Duty - Cold War

Thanks Mark,

Hopefully see you next year!

s9(2)(a)

From: Mark Goodacre [mailto:mgoodacre@totalinteractive.co.nz]

Sent: Wednesday, 16 September 2020 12:41 PM

To: Games

Subject: RE: Call of Duty - Cold War

Hi s9(2)(a)

Sorry I can't be down there with you playing the game. I couldn't book any flights to Wellington last week, now there seems to be hundreds. You probably wouldn't want to sit in a room for 6 hours with an Aucklander anyway haha.

If you have any further issues please do not hesitate to contact me.

Cheers, Mark



From: Games < Games@classificationoffice.govt.nz>
Sent: Wednesday, 16 September 2020 11:55 AM
To: Mark Hughes < MHughes@totalinteractive.co.nz>

Cc: Mark Goodacre <mgoodacre@totalinteractive.co.nz>; Nicola Denney <nicola@fvlb.org.nz>; Games

Games@classificationoffice.govt.nz
Subject: RE: Call of Duty - Cold War

Hi Mark,

The game is working now, but for reference:

Yes that's our IP, the console is updated to 7.55, always runs Assist mode & I've launched the correct app & elf

It seems that I needed to wait (a while) for it to pre-load before attempting to select the mission, instead of being able to select the mission and have it just load.

Thanks,

From: Mark Hughes [mailto:MHughes@totalinteractive.co.nz]

Sent: Wednesday, 16 September 2020 11:30 AM To: Games < Games@classificationoffice.govt.nz>

Cc: Mark Goodacre <mgoodacre@totalinteractive.co.nz>; Nicola Denney <nicola@fvlb.org.nz>

Subject: RE: Call of Duty - Cold War

Importance: High

Hi s9(2)(a)

Just to check you are located at IP address \$9(2)(a) You can use this site to check https://www.whatismyip.com/

Also the highlighted items below are important. Please confirm that you have done all of these. These are the steps we took and we were able to play it. The Create new user /Quick sign up step is important. It would NOT work for me using already existing user PSN accounts.

I am 100% available all day to get this sorted as it is a big priority for us so you can ring me \$\frac{\text{s9(2)(a)}}{\text{can}}\$

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Sent: Tuesday, 15 September 2020 10:53 AM

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Cc: Mark Goodacre <mgoodacre@totalinteractive.co.nz>

Subject: Call of Duty - Cold War

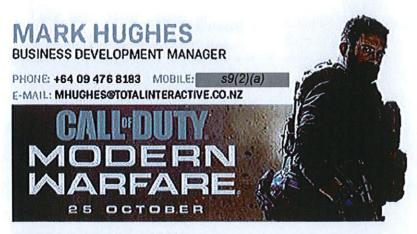
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From:

Games

Sent:

Wednesday, 16 September 2020 11:30 AM

To:

'Mark Hughes'

Cc:

Mark Goodacre; Nicola Denney; Games

Subject:

RE: Call of Duty Cold War

Ok it seems as though I had to wait a while for it to load some stuff despite the menu being active.

Hopefully this will keep working!

Thanks,

s9(2)(a)

From: Games

Sent: Wednesday, 16 September 2020 11:03 AM

To: 'Mark Hughes'

Cc: Mark Goodacre; Nicola Denney; Games

Subject: RE: Call of Duty Cold War

Ugh my apologies, I definitely wrote a full email:/

Basically the game crashes whenever I try to select a mission with error code:

CE-34878-0

This happens when connected to the internet and when not.

I'm setting up for a reinstall just in case there was an issue, but if you have any further insight that would be great.

Thanks,

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From: Mark Hughes [mailto:MHughes@totalinteractive.co.nz]

Sent: Wednesday, 16 September 2020 8:50 AM
To: Games Games@classificationoffice.govt.nz

Cc: Mark Goodacre mgoodacre@totalinteractive.co.nz; Nicola Denney micola@fvlb.org.nz

Subject: RE: Call of Duty Cold War

Morning **s9(2)(a)**

It looks like you may have hit send before finishing the below email? I am not sure what you mean by "However, CE"? Please give me a call or email ASAP if you are having a problem.

Mark

From: Games < Games@classificationoffice.govt.nz>

Sent: Tuesday, 15 September 2020 7:08 PM

To: Mark Hughes < MHughes@totalinteractive.co.nz>

Cc: Mark Goodacre mgoodacre@totalinteractive.co.nz; Nicola Denney micola@fvlb.org.nz; Games

Games@classificationoffice.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: Call of Duty - Cold War

Hi Mark,

Game is installed, and loading the game via codrelease.elfworks fine.

However, CE

From: Mark Hughes [mailto:MHughes@totalinteractive.co.nz]

Sent: Tuesday, 15 September 2020 1:00 PM
To: Games < Games@classificationoffice.govt.nz>

Cc: Mark Goodacre <mgoodacre@totalinteractive.co.nz>; Nicola Denney <nicola@fvlb.org.nz>

Subject: RE: Call of Duty - Cold War

Thanks for letting me know \$9(2)(a)

Please note it is advised to have no other files or folders on the USB stick when installing the PS4 test kit operating software unrelated to this file. File "PS4UPDATE-testkit-GEN3-7_550_001.PUP"

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Mark

From: Games < Games@classificationoffice.govt.nz>

Sent: Tuesday, 15 September 2020 12:52 PM

To: Mark Hughes < MHughes@totalinteractive.co.nz>

Cc: Mark Goodacre mgoodacre@totalinteractive.co.nz; Nicola Denney nicola@fvlb.org.nz; Games

<Games@classificationoffice.govt.nz>Subject: RE: Call of Duty - Cold War

Hi Mark,

Yes this was received thank you, I'm just a bit delayed but will be downloading it soon.

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From:

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Sent: To: Wednesday, 16 September 2020 1:54 PM

s9(2)(a)

Subject:

RE: Call of Duty urgency approved now

Thanks s9(2)(a)

Started the clock:)

From: \$9(2)(a)

Sent: Wednesday, 16 September 2020 1:34 PM

To: s9(2)(a)

Subject: Call of Duty urgency approved now

Yep she forgot all good now

s9(2)(a)

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From:

s9(2)(a)

Sent:

Friday, 11 September 2020 2:04 PM

To:

Nicola Denney

Cc:

Submissions;

s9(2)(a)

Subject:

RE: next week's scheduled pubs

Thanks for this update Nicola, no issues at our end.

From: Nicola Denney [mailto:nicola@fvlb.org.nz]
Sent: Friday 11 September 2020 11:02 AM

To: \$9(2)(a)

Cc: Submissions;

s9(2)(a)

Games

Subject: RE: next week's scheduled pubs

Hi 89(2)(a)

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Kind regards

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From

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Cc: Submissions <submissions@classificationoffice.govt.nz>

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From:

Nicola Denney <nicola@fvlb.org.nz>

Sent:

Monday, 14 September 2020 2:29 PM

To:

Submissions; Games

Subject:

RE: next week's scheduled pubs

Follow Up Flag:

Follow up

Flag Status:

Flagged

Hi

The build for CALL OF DUTY is now going to be sent to you by Mark Hughes at Total Interactive by Aspera.

Kind Regards

Nicola

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From:

Games

Sent:

Thursday, 10 September 2020 3:06 PM

To:

'Nicola Denney'

Subject:

RE: Ready for OFLC CALL OF DUTY BLACK OPS COLD WAR

Thanks for the heads up!

s9(2)(a)

From: Nicola Denney [mailto:nicola@fvlb.org.nz] Sent: Thursday, 10 September 2020 2:30 PM

To: Submissions Cc: Games

Subject: Ready for OFLC - CALL OF DUTY BLACK OPS COLD WAR

□ Ready for OFLC ~

Total Interactive Call of Duty Black Ops Cold

Activision

7/09/2020

War

The build will be hand delivered to your offices on Tuesday 15th September, around 9.30am

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From:

Mark Hughes via Activision Content Transfer <actnotify@activision.com>

Sent:

Monday, 14 September 2020 4:56 PM

To:

Games

Subject:

Received package: Call of Duty OFLC/NZ Age Rating Build

Dear Games@classificationoffice.govt.nz,

You received the following package:

Call of Duty OFLC/NZ Age Rating Build <u>Download</u> Package Download Package Via Mobile App

From: Mark Hughes on 09/13/20 07:40 PM

Size: 134.2 GB in 3 files

The download link will expire 09/20/20 09:55 PM PDT.

From:

Mark Hughes via Activision Content Transfer <actnotify@activision.com>

Sent:

Thursday, 17 September 2020 9:51 AM

To:

Games

Subject:

Received package: mhughes@totalinteractive.co.nz

Dear Games@classificationoffice.govt.nz,

You received the following package:

mhughes@totalinteractive.co.nz <u>Download Package</u> <u>Download Package Via Mobile App</u>

From: Mark Hughes on 09/16/20 02:46 PM

Size: 3.8 GB In 1 file

Note:

Hi s9(2)(a) at 38.20 min you will see the Zombies section.

The download link will expire 09/23/20 02:50 PM PDT.